

PATENT



Docket No. 979-027

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Droin et al. 650-359
Serial No. : 10/616,238
Filed : July 8, 2003
For : VOLUMETRIC FLUID METER

Examiner: Harshad R. Patel
Group Art Unit: 2855

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing an Amendment.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
☒ is filed herewith.
☐ has been filed on _____.
3. ☐ Applicant is a small-entity -- verified statement is attached ☐, or has already been filed. ☐.

- | | | <u>Total Months
Requested</u> | <u>Fee for Other
than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for
Small Entity</u> |
|----|-------------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| a. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 |
| b. | <input type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$420.00 | \$210.00 |
| c. | <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$950.00 | \$475.00 |
| d. | <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1480.00 | \$740.00 |
| e. | <input type="checkbox"/> | five months | \$2,010.00 | \$1,005.00 |
| f. | <input type="checkbox"/> | An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ _____), minus the fee previously paid (\$ _____) equals \$ _____ (total fee due). | | |
5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
 6. ☐ Charge \$00 to Deposit Account No. 19-2825 Order No. _____ **DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.**
 7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2825. Order No. 979-029 **A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.**

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Dated: December 13, 2004

Respectfully submitted,
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